

I am deaf and I enjoy watching television. I watched 95% of my favorite shows online via Hulu and other websites that offer full episodes via captioning. It allowed me to have a thorough enjoyable viewing experience that I would not experience otherwise if it were not captioned. There are many companies that are attempting to 'opt out' or to call for exemption – it is incumbent upon you—FCC to share the social justice for deaf and hard-of-hearing people for equal access via online video streaming and/or media.

Technology are changing and more people are watching their news via Internet and watching video clips—no matter how short or long online. When a person like me go to a website that has a interesting clip accompanying an article or was broadcasted earlier on television, one would like to understand what the content is being said. There are several interesting and informative video clips that I would love to view, but it is not captioned. How is it fair? It is not created equal if one (e.g. hearing person) can enjoy viewing video clips online and another (e.g. deaf/hard-of-hearing person) cannot – how is that fair?

FCC: I implore you to stand your ground and demand for equality for ***all*** Americans—deaf, hard-of-hearing, and hearing Americans.

Thank you.